**PATENT** 

Attorney Docket No: PD-200273

Customer No: 20991

## KAN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Craig SCHWEINHART

Application No: 09/925,178

August 9, 2001

Art Unit:

2684

Filed: August 9

For: Low Latency Handling Of Transmission Control

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Examiner:

Gantt, A.

Protocol Messages In A Broadband Satellite

Communications System

## **AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

☐ Petition for	Extension of time is a	attached hereto If	an additional e	extension of time	is required, ple					

Petition for Extension of time is attached hereto. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

An extension for \_\_\_ months(s) has already been secured; the fee paid therefor of is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

The fee for claims is calculated below.

_	CLAIMS AS AMENDED									
	CLAIMS REMAINING		HIGHEST NUMBER		PRESENT		ADDITIONAL			
	AFTER AME	NDMENT	PREVIOUSLY	PAID FOR	<b>EXTRA</b>	RATE	FEE			
TOTAL CLAIMS	59	_	65	=	0 x	\$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00			
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	17	_	5	=	12 x	\$ 88.00 =	\$1,056.00			
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					N (Y/N)	\$ 300.00 =	\$ 0.00			
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THI	\$ 1,056.00									

Please charge \$1,056.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0383. Please charge any additional fees for claims or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0383.

Respectfully submitted,

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